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Cash and Sight Exchange	\$ 4,763,763.26
Loans Pavable on Demand \$2,335,040,28	
United States Bonds	1,220,290.00
Premium on United States Bonds	3,961.15
Other Bonds, Stocks, etc	757,504.99 44,174.99
	\$16,803,745.13
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	Undivid	ded Pr	ofits (Earned)		872.385.43
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Deposits					12,770,929.70
				- 3	\$16.803.745.13

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New York Carb Market.

New York, Dae 3.—The curb market ruled fairly steady, the feature being a rise of 15 points in Standard Oil early in the afternoon, to th, on light mice. The selling price of new Hoosing, Rapid Transit 4 per cent bonds did not reflect any important developments in the transpany a affairs. There were sales at miday of 14,000 of the new 4s at 755,075°s. Greene Caper reacted to 13, then railled to 13% on the chart of 1,700 shares. Other sales included

MONEY. BONDS.

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Mining Stocks in New York.

STOCKS MORE ACTIVE UNDER MANIPULATION.

BROKERS TRYING HARD TO INTEREST THE PUBLIC.

Believe That Only a Spectacular Advance Will Induce Outsiders to Invest Their Cash.

New York, Dec. 9 .- Another active and exceedingly irregular market to-day gave evidence of a growth of variety and interest in the speculation, although the to-tal dealings fell slightly below those of yesterday. It was perfectly obvious to the most casual observer that there was enormous unloading of stocks to take profits by those who had bought lower down, but selling was not pursued at the expense of values, and there were recurrent rallies in the general list. There was a general agreement also that some of the most conspleuous strength of the market was due to flagrant manipulation, and that this was designed to cover selling to realize clsewhere. But there was fairly good absorption of the selling and a growing hope of an awakening interest in the market on the part of the outside public. The professional element of stock speculators is deeply imbued with a conviction that no widespread demand for securities is ever induced without the preliminary invitation of a spectacular and manipulative advance in prices. The fact that conditions in the money market have become such as to allow resources for this kind of campaign and that conditions here have attained a state which leaves the stock market free from an overwhelming flood of liquidation upon any advance in prices are looked up by the average speculator as quite substantial grounds for bullish enthusiasm.

TRANSIT AND COPPER. in the general list. There was a general

TRANSIT AND COPPER. The leadership of the market to-day shifted back to Brooklyn Transit and smitted back to Brooklyn Transit and Amalgamated Copper. There was a furious speculation in Brooklyn Transit stock all day, which brought a later response in the stocks of all the New York public utilities, carrying them from 3 to 5 points over last night. Brooklyn Transit tiself rose an extreme \$\tilde{\text{s}}\$. There is a deeply ingrained theory in the speculative world that all of the New York public utilities will be brought ultimately under a single control, giving opportunity for important economies, especially in the matter of electrical power. This was the basis of to-day's great speculation, but so far as could be authoritatively learned there was absolutely no new development hearing on the conjectured outcome. The adoption by the Montana Senate of the so-called "fair-trial" bill, intended for copper litigation, was the only news affecting Amalgamated Copper, and the speculation in that stock was principally influenced by the varying surmises as to whether the Standard Oil Interests were buying or selling in the market. The stocks which were strongest and most active vesterday during the pause for profit-taking in the advance of Brooklyn Transit and Amalgamated Copper were freely sold to take profits to-day.

The selling movement became compre-Amalgamated Copper. There was a furious GAIN WIPED OUT.

The selling movement became compre-hensive in the last hour and left net gains only for the stocks mentioned for particuonly for the stocks mentioned for particular strength. Additional gold was taken in London to-day, but that center continued to send orders here to buy stocks. It is said that these holdings are to be carried in New York, and with money borrowed here. The real origin of the orders is open to conjecture. Chicago is credited with large buying of stocks and with some lending of money here also. A feature of the money market was the receipt by telegraphic transfer of \$123,000 from San Francisco and a moderate outgo to New Orleans.

Orleans.

The bond market was irregular. Total sales, par value, \$3,092,000. United States 2s advanced 14 and the 3s 14 per cent on the last call.

Wall Street Gossip.

Reported by the New York Commercial Advertiser, through Francis, Bro. & Co., No. 214 North Fourth street.

New York, Dec. 9.—Foreign—The late trading in Americans in London to-day indicated they had become somewhat pessimistic as to our market, but at the same time arbitrage houses bought for foreign account here 20,000 shares.

AMUTHER GOLD BAR VALUED \$5,200.00.

The following telegram was received Monday: "Just received bar 18; value \$5,200." (Signed) Nevada Keystone Mining Co. Stock is offered for

A Few Days Only at 60 Cents a Share.

Par value, \$1.00; capital stock only \$1.000,000 and 400,000 shares still in the treasury. This company is producing \$10,000 to \$18,000 per month. Send for booklet containing facsimiles of the U. S. mint receipts and be convinced.

Amaigamated Copper—As it has happened almost every day since the stock soid in the 20s, the specialists asserted they could not learn anything of the buying or selling except that the selling looked very much better than the buying. Possibly because of this the stock scored another advance, just as it has done during the past month whenever the buying did not look particularly "good." Boston houses bought early, which was regarded as a doubtful null argument, since Mr. Lawson had issued bulleting predicting higher prices. In apptie of the latter the stock ruse in the forenoon. "The Standard Oil set" was bullish on it also.

New York Stock Quotations.

| Northern Securities at E%, Seaboard Air Line common at 12%, preferred at 23%; Havanna Tobacco common at 21%, preferred at 23%; Havann

Washington, Dec. 5.—Available cash 123,01,36; gold \$119,025.55.

TRACTIONS MOST ACTIVE IN SECURITY MARKET.

IS EASY.

Bidding for Miscellaneous Issues Sentiment in Corn Pit Is Bullish Is Spirited, but Bonds Are Firmly Held.

There was increased inquiry for tractionsin yesterday's market for local securities. Transit was most active, with sales at \$13.50 and that bid for more. wheat market caused a sharp break it United Railways preferred was easy, with prices to-day. May wheat closed %c low There was brisk bidding for miscellaneous issues, but the only trade was a sale of city 3.65s at \$100.37½. Underlying street railway bonds were wanted, but there were no sellers.

Traders who had expected a big advance in wheat prices as a result of manipulation by the leader of the bulls were disapsales at \$50 and more offered at that price. There was brisk bidding for miscellaneous

20	YESTERDAL'S SESSION.	
•	Closing quotations:	
0	Bid.	Anked.
	St. Louis Transit \$ 13.50	\$ 13.75
9	United Railways pfd 10.75	60,00
3	Do. 48	78.62%
8	St. Louis 3.658	******
1	Consolidated Coal Co	22.50
9	Compton Heights 6s	
3	Rv 4s 83.00	87.25
1	"Laclede Gas Light pfd 98.00	102.60
	Do, is	102.00
	MoEdison Elec. Light 58 35.874	
1	St. Louis Brewery 6s, large 93.10	******
	Broadway Cable is	109.90
	Union Depot 6s 112,75	
1	Simmons Hardware 2d ofd	116.00
ŝ	Granite-Bi-Metallic	*******
	Central Coal and Coke com 50.8714	61.00
ď	Do. pfd	******
H	St. Joe Lead 14.75 *Ex-dividend.	******
lii	Sales:	
1	130 St. Louis Transit at	\$ 13.50
1	1,000 City 3,65s at	100 3334
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American Writing Paper com.
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Electric Boat com

Do. pfd
Electric Vehicle com

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Greene Consolidated Copper
International Merc. Marine com

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Manhattan Transit
Montreal and Boaton Copper
Marconi Wireless Telegraph
New Amsterdam Gas 1st 5s, J. & J.

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Seaboard Air Line com.
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White Knob Copper Bond Sales at New York.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL New York, Dec. 5.-Sales of bonds were mad

here to-day as follows:	
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6,000 B. & O. prior Hen 355	@ H
22,660 Balt. & Ohio 4s	101
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Nor. joint 4s	1051
96,000 C., R. I. & Pac, R. R. coll	200
tr. 45	446 694
tr. 4s	102
10,000 Colorado Fuel & Iron gen. 55 48,000 Consolidated Tobacco 48 57 10,000 Ft. W. & Denver City 1st 6s	98
48,000 Consolidated Tobacco 48, 57	14 8 57
19,000 Ft. W. & Denver City 1st 6s	100
1.00 Kansas City Southern 3s	67
1,00) Laclede Gas Co. Se. co.	105
5,000 Louis & Nashville unified 4s 109 11,000 M., K. & T. let 4s.	A 101
3,000 Missouri Pacific Trust 58	105
16,000 Northern Pacific gen, 30,	704
34,000 Northern Pacific prior lien 4102	W#101
28,009 Oregon Short Line 46 92	923
1.000 Oregon Short Lins copeol. &	1137
22,000 St. L. & S. F. ref. 48	112
23,000 Southern Rallway 58	A \$ 1135
15,000 S. Ry., M. & O. col. 45	.95
2.000 Texas & Pacific 1st 5s	V Grant
185,000 Union Pacific 1st con, 48 95	200 95
3,000 Wabash 1st 5s	1134

Chiengo Stock Market.

Government Bonds. Government Bonds.

New York, Dec. 2.—Government bonds:
United States refunding 2s, registered 1053
United States refunding 2s, registered 1063
United States 3s, registered 1073
United States 3s, coupon 1061
United States new 4s, registered 1233
United States new 4s, registered 1233
United States of 4s, registered 1203
United States of 4s, registered 1013
United States 5s, registered 1013
United States 5s, coupon 110
United States 5s, coupon 1015
United States 5s, coupon 1015

Domestic Exchange, Reported by Whitaker & Co., exchange brossers, No. 300 North Fourth street.

Transactions at the banks were in good vol-ume. Discount rates for call and time loans held steady between 31; and 6 per cent.

The Metal Markets.

New York, Dec. 5.—Tin was very firm abroad, advancing 12 is to 1123 rs 6d for spot and 1124 l2s 6d for futures. Locally it also ruled firm and higher, sales being rejected of 19 tons for Dec. delivery at 25.5c. Spot closed strong at 25672. Sc. Copper was easier abroad, spot declining 2s 6d to 156 19 in the London market. Futures were is lower at 458. Locally copper was firm; lake is quoted at 12.25612.3c; electrolytic at 12.125612.3c; electrolytic at 12.125613.

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Flauseed Quotations. Chicago, Dec. 9.—Finaseed was firm and Yo higher. No. 1 Northwestern sold at \$5c and No 1 was \$1c bid; May was \$5c sellers and Dec. was nominally 51c. Receipts \$ cars here, 25 at Minneapolis and \$5 at Duluth.

Petroleum.

Petroleum.

Oil City, Pa., Dec. 9.—Credit balances \$1.90; certificates, no bid. Shipments \$2,430; average \$0.018. Runs 75.702; average \$6,535. Shipments—Lima \$1,234; average \$6,53. Runs—Lima \$1,216; average \$2.222.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 9.—Turpentine firm, 56c. Rosin firm; quote A, B, C, D, E, F 12.20; G 12.25; 82.20; H 12.35; I 12.55; K 12.89; M 12.90; N 12.05; W. G, 13.25; W. W, 12.5).

Coffee.

Dried Fruits.

SHARP BREAK IN WHEAT DISAPPOINTS TRADERS.

UNITED RAILWAYS STOCK BULL LEADER CEASES TO SUPPORT MARKET.

> on Missouri Crop Report-· Provisions Strong.

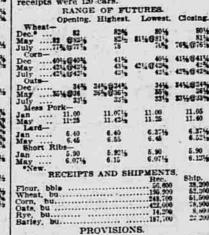
Chicago, Dec. 9.-Cessation of support from the big operator who has recently been the main factor in creating a bullish

in wheat prices as a result of manipulation by the leader of the bulls were disappointed. While prices held firm at about yesterday's closing during the greater part of the day, supported by limited purchases by the big bull operator, the volume of business was light. The local crowd seemed indisposed to take any active part in the proceedings, preferring to assume a watchful attitude in regard to the operations of the leading long. There was some selling at the start, due to lower cables and to slight moisture in the winter wheat sections, with predictions of more, and May opened unchanged to be lower at \$2c to \$25c. Commission-houses with \$1. Louis connections had buying orders. As a result of the small offerings in the pit a firmer feeling developed soon after the opening, May advancing to \$25c. The Missouri crop report was regarded as a bullish influence, the condition of the crop being rated at \$5. as against \$5 last year. Trading was quite featureless until late in the day, when commission-houses turned active sellers, and with an absence of support the market weakened. On the decline a lot of wheat came out on stop-loss orders and a sharp break followed, May selling off to \$15c/2813c, a drop of 12c/213c from the high point. Shorts covered treely at the lower level and steadled prices, but final figures were at a loss, May being off \$5c at \$15c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 254,600 bu. Primary receipts were \$1.08,000 bu., against 1,057,000 bu. a year ago. Bradstreet's world's visible showed an increase of only \$20,000 bu. Mineapolls, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of \$29 cars, compared with \$46 cars last week and \$600 cars a year ago. CORN.

Local sentiment among corn traders was inclined to bullishness, and with scattered buying and light offerings the market ruled strong. Small receipts, an improvement in the cash demand and the Missouri crop report were the strengthening linfluences. According to the Missouri figures the yield of that State is 50,00,000 bu, less than that of last year. Late in the day the severe break in wheat prices had some effect, but the close was firm. After opening a shade lower to isc higher at 424,041%c to 421c. May sold between 424,042%c and 431sc closing at 42%c. Local receipts were 187 cars, with 1 of contract grade.

OATS. buying and light offerings the market OATS.

The oats pit was partially deserted owing to the greater attractions in the wheat market, but prices held comparatively market, but prices held comparatively steady throughout the session. There was fair buying early by brokers, and the selling was scattered, but mostly by scattered. The late market was affected somewhat by the break in wheat, but the close was steady. May opened a shade to he lower at 35 ke to 35 kg 36c, ranged between 35 ke and 38 kg 36 kg. and closed at 38 kg. Lecal receipts were 120 cars.



mand, credited principally to shorts. There were no special features to the trade. 'The were no special reatures to the trade. The selling was largely by packers. May pork closed 12% higher at \$1.40, May lard was be higher at \$6.52% while ribs were up 587% at \$6.12%.

Estimated receipts to-morrow: Wheat, 65 cars; corn, 145; oats, 119; hogs, 38,000 head.

New York, Dec. 9.—Flour-Receipts 30,257; exports 20,957; quieter and unsettled, closing easy. Rye flour steady. Buckwheat flour firm, Comports 2,06; quieter and unsettled, closing easy. Rye flour steady. Rue dull. Barley steady. Wheat—Receipts 71,157; exports 12,259; spot wany; No. 2 red 594;c elevator; No. 2 red 594;c f. o. b. affoat; No. 1 Northern Duluth 595;d f. o. b. affoat; No. 1 hard Manitoba nominal f. o. b. affoat; No. 1 hard Manitoba nominal f. o. b. affoat; No. 1 hard Manitoba nominal f. o. b. affoat; Options were steady to firm at first on light Northwest receipts, a bullish Missouri report, a further support from Chicago of to-day small increases in the words. Stocks also helped the bulls, but later precedence of the bulls, but later bulls, but la

SUMMARY OF ST. LOUIS MARKETS

General liquidation in the last hour caused a break of nearly 2c a bu, in the active wheat option yesterday. It was said that the interests who recently loaded up on Dec. wheat were the heaviest sellers, and that the longs were anxious to sell the grain which was delivered to them on contract rather than assume the expensive burden of carrying it in the elevators. All of the wheat sold yesterday represented profit to the syndicate, as the price realized was above the average figure at which it had been bought. Increasing local receipts were partly responsible for the rush to sell, but the most important factor was the weather. Snow had fallen in many sections of the belt and there was no immediate fear that the crop would be injured by lack of moisture. There was brisk selling at the opening, but the downward movement later was checked by strength in the Chicego market. In the last hour there was another rush to liquidate and the close was decidedly weak.

Corn opened off on easy cables, but later there was a good buying demand on light ocal receipts and prospects of unfavorable weather.

May wheat opened %@14c off and closed %@1c off. May corn opened 1-16c off and closed 1-16c up.

May outs closed Matte up. Receipts of produce were fairly large and values of fruits and vegetables were generally steady to easy.

Local securities were dull. Tractions were in best demand, with Transit firm and United Railways preferred easy. Yesterday's bank clearings were \$0.047.751, balances \$1.374.266. Discount rates were

steady between 51/2 and 6 per cent. Spot cotton was unchanged in the local market,

GENERAL SELLING MOVEMENT CAUSES A SHARP REVERSAL.

DECEMBER LONGS ARE SELL-ING MAY WHEAT.

Favorable Weather, Heavy Receipts and Weakness in Other Markets Are the Features.

There was a sharp let-down in yesterlay's local grain market. Weather conditions and reported selling by the longs were the main factors in the decline. Snow had fallen over many portions of the winter belt and the atmosphere was not so cold and dry as it had been for several days. The local slump was checked by early strength in Chicago, but later that market sold sharply lower and St. Louis followed suit. Receipts were large and stocks in store were on the decrease. Foreign markets were indifferent. Several large lots sold in the pit were said to be to: the account of the combination which worked the December deal.

worked the December deal.

Lradstreet reports the available supply of wheat east of the Rockies for the past week at 2,198,000 bu, increase and stocks in and ahoat for Europe decreased 1,600,000 bu, making the world's visible supply increase only 586,000 bu, against an increase of 900,000 bu, a week ago and an increase of 1,864,000 bu, in 1802.

May wheat opened \$67.00 off and sold at:

\$10, 876,682, 875c, 875c

Corn made a small gain on light receipts and unfavorable weather. Speculation was almost at a standstill, and Dec. quota-tions were purely nominat. There was some outside buying of May. Cables held fairly strong. fairly strong. May corn opened 1-16c off and sold at: 40%c, 40%

60%c. 60%c.

Receipts of wheat at St. Louis 85,000 bu. of which 225 sks. and 71 cars local and 24 cars through, against 38,000 bu. of which 2,237 sks. and 35 cars local and 2 cars through, in 1902.

Receipts of wheat at primary points 1,165,000 bu. against 1,088,000 bu. in 1902, and shipments 28,000 bu., against 195,000 bu. Northwest received 530 cars, against 650 cars in 1902. Chicago received 195,875 bu. and Kanssa City 268,800 bu. Clearances 379,000 bu.

Cash Grain, Flour Etc.

Cash Grain, Flour Etc.

WHEAT-Received 28 sks and 71 cars local and 24 cars through. Ecasier for soft winter, but all the best taken by elevator buyers. Hard winter slow and lower to sell, as fewer buyers in market. By sample del: No. 2 red at 50% 550% CW, side: No. 3 red at 57% 550 and No. 4 at 56 Wei. 100 2 hard at 76% 750; No. 3 hard at 75% 100; No. 4 at 56% 750; No. 3 hard at 75% 100; No. 3 hard at 75% 100; No. 4 at 56% 750; No. 3 mixed at 86; No. 2 white spring at 77% 77% 100; No. 4 at 56% 750; No. 3 white spring at 76% 75%; No. 3 white spring at 76% 75% 100; No. 3 white spring at 76% 100; No. 3 white spring at 76% 100; No. 3 white spring at 76% 100; No. 2 white spring at 76% 100; No. 2 white and 100 and 100; No. 2 white and 100 and 100; No. 2 white and 100 and 100; No. 2 white and 60 for No. 2, 45% 100; No. 2 white all local local for choice: No. 3 white at 40% and No. 4 mixed at 37% destination; yellow ear at 46 local.

OATS-Received 30 cars local and 6 cars through. Strong and higher and a much better demand, as offerings decreasing; buying all local. By sample del: No. 2 at 37% 25% No. 3 at 25% 25%; No. 3 white at 35% 100; No. 4 white at 35% 25% E. side.

HYE—530 bid for No. 2 and 500 for No. 2. No. 2 white at 35% 100; No. 3 white at 35% 25% extra fancy 3.70% 33.80; clearn 3.20% 100; Patents in wood 46% 100; atraights 12.50% 1 farm winter flour; patents in wood 46% 100; atraights 12.50% 1 farm winter flour; nitraghts 12.50% 1 farm winter flour in lutes—Patents 12.50% 1 farm winter flour; nitraghts 12.50% 1 farm winter flour; nitraghts 12.50% 1 farm winter flour; nitraghts 12.50% 1 farm winter flour in lutes—Patents 12.50% 1 farm

city meal, E.70 for pearl meal, grits and hominy.

BRAN—Hard winter bran at proceed at 76c in
ios and soft winter bran at 74675c in large and
76677c in smaller sks., latter for choice; mixed
feed in 100e at 75c for hard and \$1658c for soft
winter; mids. in 100e at \$7590c. On basis El
trk winter at 77c for bran and 55c for mids.

At mill bran sells at 75678c and ships at \$1.05
ff.1.10.

HAY — Market El side; Timothy — Choice
\$12.50; No. 1 \$10511; No. 2 \$369.50 for No. 2 \$669.50
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St. Louis-May wheat \$150 a.; puts \$750 to 0 and calls \$150. Milwaukee-May wheat-Puts \$15,6305c. and

Fruits and Vegetables.

The Republic quotations are for lots in first hands unless otherwise specified. Small lots on orders are charged higher.

APPLES—Steady on choice fruit; demand only fair. Eastern and Michigan stock in balk 55c for seconds to 1161.10 for sound per 106 for orchard run. Consigned Ben Davis, Winsan, Willowtwig. Roman Beauty, etc., 11,500 2 mainly, and fancy higher. Geniting 1101.75, mainly 11.2561.50. Bulk Geniting Tocuti. 5 per bbl. measure. bbl. measure.

MALAGA GRAPES-Per bbl. at \$3.5085.50, eccording to weight.
PINEAPPLES-Cuban (new) \$3.25@2.50 per dox.

ORANGES — Florida on trk. 21.1862.25 for Brights or Russets. India River stock 12. From store 25650c higher. California on trk.: Seedlings 2562.25 and Navais 18.6562.5 GRAPE FRUIT—Florida 18.656.50 per box; Jamaica 26.5665 per box; GRAPES—Quiet; steady. Pony Catawba LIMONS — California on trk, 3362.50 for LEMONS — California on trk, 3362.50 for choice to fancy: Mesaina and Virdel jobbing \$1,5063.75 per box in jobbing way.

LIMES—Per 100, 31.8062.

BANANAS—Quotable \$161.25 a bunch on Northwest received 530 cars, against 550 cars in 1902. Chicago received 18,875 but and Kansas City 28,800 bu. Clearances 579,000 bu.

Receipts of corn at St. Louis 18,900 bu., of which 17 cars local and 4 cars through, against 197,705 bu., of which 1,832 sec. and list cars local and 9 cars through, it, 1992.

Receipts of corn at primary points 377,000 bu., against 666,000 bu. in 1902, and shipments 151,000 bu., against 551,000 bu. Chicago received 28,700 bu., and Kansas City 4.800 bu. Clearances 103,000 bu.

Bradstreet's report the available surply of corn cars to the Rockies for the past week at 12,500 bu. a week ago, and an increase of 1,125,000 bu. in 1902.

Receipts of oats at St. Louis 66,000 bu., of which 30 cars local and 6 cars through, in 1902.

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Cash Grain, Flour Etc. 31.50 per bol.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS—20c per quart.

CELERY—Michigan flat crates 2060c; fancy
white plume 40c per bunch; Kalamasoo, small
10615c per bunch; home-grown 25640c per
bunch; California, per crate 31.5063.75. Celery
roots 15640c per doz

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oz. ENDIVES—New Orleans 33.59 per bbl. GREEN PEAS—Florida 1262.25 per bamper. KALE—Home-grown 20c per bu.

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SCRAP IRON AND METAL — Per 195 lbs.;

SCRIPIT Iron &c.; heavy cast 40c; mulleable steel and breakable 40c; store 35c; light breaks 55; heavy briss 39; copper 39; sine 35; lead 12.00; pewter 312;

SALT—E. side medium at 80c; granulated 80c per bbl.; for more per bbl. this side.

BROOM CORN—Quotable at \$60635 per ton; no sales. | May | Corn | May | May

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